

17th SET Plan Conference

Energy Research and Innovation for a Competitive Europe

13-14 NOVEMBER

VILADECANS,
BARCELONA, SPAIN

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Viladecans, Barcelona 13 November

Registration

09:00-13:00 Coffee will be available throughout the morning.
(Atrium)

Side event

Organised by Driving Urban Transition and Clean Energy Transition Partnerships

Empower people and institutions for the energy transition

(Location to be confirmed)

09.30-11:00

Speakers

Anna Wang, Austrian Ministry for Climate Action, DUT Coordinator

Michael Hübner, Austrian Ministry for Climate Action, CET Coordinator

Christoph Gollner, Austrian Research Promotion Agency, DUT Management"

Side event

Organised by European Technology & Innovation Platforms

Advancing Energy and Climate Goals: The Power of Research and Innovation

(Location to be confirmed)

11.00-12:00

Speakers

Maria-Laura Trifiletti, ETIPs Forum

European Commission representative (tbd)

Elisa Rivera, Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation

Miriam Bueno, Spanish Ministry for the Ecological Transition and the Demographic Challenge

Lotta Pirttimaa, ETIP Ocean

Ivan Pineda, ETIP Wind

Andrej Misech, ETIP Bioenergy, ETIP RHC, ETIP Hydropower

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Thematic side event

Accelerating clean energy transition through collaborations with African, Latin American and Caribbean, and the Mediterranean Regions

(Location to be confirmed)

Moderator

Helele Craye, Head of Unit, DG RTD, European Commission

Speakers

Tudor Constantinescu, Principal adviser to DG ENER, European Commission

Albert Butare, Former Minister of State Infrastructure, CEO of AESG CEO Grammenos Mastrojeni. Energy and Climate Action, UfM

Maite Martín-Crespo, Head of Environment and Climate Change, AECID

12.00-13.00

Thematic side event

Empowering Communities: Citizen Engagement Practices in Clean Energy Transition

(Location to be confirmed)

Moderator

Rosalinde van der Vlies, Director Clean Planet, R&I, European Commission

Speakers

Annika Wolff, Project coordinator, GRETA Project

Antonis Papanikolaou, Project Coordinator, Hypertech, ACCEPT project

Milkenka Kuhar, Director, DOOR. EMPOWERMED project

Jean-Patrick Masson, Vicepresident, Dijon Metropole

13.00-14.30

Lunch

Closed meeting (13.15-14.30)

Steering Group short meeting

Welcome - Keynote Speeches

(Atrium)

14.30-15.00

Speakers

Iliana Ivanova, Commissioner for Innovation, Research, Culture, Education and Youth (video message)

Diana Morant, (TBC) Spanish Minister of Science and Innovation

Cristian-Silviu, BUȘOI, - Member of the European Parliament

High Level Panel

Boosting European competitiveness and technology sovereignty

(Atrium)

Moderator

Mechthild Woersdorfer, Deputy Director-General, DG Energy, European Commission

15.00-16.00

Speakers

Salla Saastamoinen, Deputy Director General, JRC, European Commission

Viktor Horváth, Deputy State Secretary, Ministry of Energy, Hungary

Javier Ponce, Director General at CDTI

Eduard Castañeda, Chief Innovation Officer, Walbox

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16:00-16:30 Coffee break

High Level Panel

The revamped SET Plan as key instrument to achieve energy policy challenges (Atrium)

Moderator

Rosalinde van der Vlies, Director Clean Planet, R&I, European Commission

16:30-17:30 Speakers

Teresa Riesgo, Secretary General for Innovation, Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation

Timo Ritonummi, Deputy Director General, Energy Department, Finish Ministry of Economic Affairs and Employment

Johan Hanssens, Secretary General, Department of Economy, Science and Innovation, Flemish Government.

Nils A. Røkke, EERA Presidency, SINTEF

High Level Panel

Hydrogen and renewable energy valleys

(Atrium)

Moderator

Pirita Lindholm, Director of ERRIN

17:30-18:30

Speakers

Joanna Drake, Deputy Director-General, DG R&I, European Commission

Thierry Coosemans, Co-director EVERGi Research Group, VUB

Emilio Nieto, Director, Spanish National Hydrogen Centre (CHN2)

Vangelis Marinakis, Project coordinator, CRETE VALLEY

Wojciech Lach, Project manager, PKN ORLEN

20:00

Official dinner

Atarazanas Reales, Barcelona

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8:00-9:00 Registration and coffee

(Atrium)

High Level Panel

Future integrated and resilient energy system

(Atrium)

Moderator

Helena Gerard, Senior Researcher, VITO/EnergyVille

9:00-10:00

Speakers

Paula Pinho, Director, DG Energy, European Commission

Norela Constantinescu, Head of Innovation, ENTSO-E ETIP SNET

Dirk Van Hertem, Co-chair of IWG on HVDC, KU Leuven

Laila Sawyer, Secretary General CurrENT

High Level Panel

Minding the gap: an effective joint solar strategic research and innovation agenda for Europe

(Atrium)

Moderator

Piort Szymanski, Director Directorate C - Energy, Mobility and Climate, European Commission

Speakers

Christof Hunnekes, Chair, PV IWG, Forschungszentrum Jülich

Cristina Trueba, Co-chair IWG- CSP&H, Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation

Valérie Séjourné, Managing Director, SolarHeatEurope

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Interactive session

11:30-13:30

A new approach for the SET Plan: addressing cross-cutting issues

Mira Bangel, Carlotta Cataldi, Laura Grassi - Facilitators

11:30-13:30

R&I for societal needs

How can the SET Plan ensure clean energy technologies meet the needs of all citizens, regardless of age, gender, origin, education or status?
(Location to be confirmed)

Digitalisation

How can the SET Plan contribute to a better cooperation between energy R&I and digitalisation players?
(Location to be confirmed)

Circularity

How can the SET Plan embed advanced materials research and circularity for resilient and sustainable European clean energy technologies?
(Location to be confirmed)

13:30-15:00

Lunch

15:00-16:00

Thematic parallel sessions

15:00-16:00

Innovative solutions to decarbonise buildings
(Location to be confirmed)
Moderator
Jacopo Tosoni, Head of Policy, EASE
Speakers
Fanni Mészáros, General Secretary, Hungarian Battery Association
Christoph Kost, Head of Group Energy Systems and Energy Economics, Fraunhofer Institute for Solar Energy
Myriam E. Gil Bardají, Coordinator of EERA JP Energy Storage, EERA
Nadine May, Head of Dresden Office, DLR

Towards climate neutral industries - How to secure sustainable and affordable energy supply in 2040-2050
(Location TBC)
Moderator
Eric Lecomte, Policy Officer, European Commission
Speakers
Franz Hörzenberger, Co-chair of SET Plan IWG-Industry and Vice-Chair of the A.SPIRE Advisory Committee on Climate and Energy
Joris Valee, Researcher Sustainable Energy and Environment, VITO/EnergyVille
Elizabeth Press, Director of Planning and Programme Support, IRENA
Sophie Wilmet, Senior Manager Innovation, CEFIC
Sara Piskor, Director, Strategy, Policy and Communication
Francesco Ferioli - ENER A.4 Modelling Team, European Commission
Doris Schröcker, Head of Unit RTD.E1, European Commission

Nuclear R&I success stories
(Location to be confirmed)
Moderator
Yves Desbazeille, Director General, Nuclear Europe
Speakers
Abdou Al Mazouzi, Secretary General, SNETP
Kerstin-Gemmer Berkbilek, Coordinator Euratom project NPH and COFRAMATOME
Roberta Cirillo, Director of Communications and Strategy, ENEN
Pablo León, Director of Nuclear Technology, ENDESA

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16.00-16.30 Coffee break

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Thematic parallel sessions

Offshore floating wind and
ocean technologies
(Location to be confirmed)

Moderator

Vangelis Tzimas, Head of Unit
“Energy Transition Insights for
Policy”, DG ENER, European
Commission

Outlook for industrial growth
of advanced biofuels in EU
(2022-2030)
(Location to be confirmed)

Moderator

Myrsini Christou, EERA bioenergy
chair, Head of Biomass Department,
CRES

Energy storage solutions
and technologies: to provide
flexibility in the energy
system mobility
(Location to be confirmed)

Moderator

Vincent Berrutto, Head of Unit,
European Commission

16.30-17.30

Speakers

Ignacio Martí Pérez, Head of
Division DTU WIND, DTU
Lotta Pirttimaa, Senior Policy
Officer, Ocean Energy Europe
Lizet Ramire, Senior Analyst
Offshore Wind, Wind Europe
Jacob Edmonds, Head of Ørsted
Innovation, ETIP Wind Vice Chair,
Ørsted

Speakers

Dina Bacovsky, Chair of IEA
Bioenergy
Jose Luis Cabo Sánchez, Deputy
Director General of Hydrocarbons
and New Fuels
David Chiaramonti, Professor at
Politecnico de Torino
Patrik Klintbom, Chair of ETIP
Bioenergy

Speakers

Veronika Schröpfer, Head of EU
Research Projects, Architects'
Council of Europe
Gordon Sutherland, Head of
Sector, Energy and Efficient Smart
Cities, CINEA
Miquel Rovira, Director of
Sustainability Area, Eurecat

Interactive session

17.30-18.00 Plenary feedback from the interactive session
(Location to be confirmed)

Closing

18.00-18.30

Teresa Riesgo, Secretary General for Innovation, Spanish Ministry of Science and Innovation
Viktor Horváth, Deputy State Secretary, Ministry of Energy, Hungary
Rosalinde van der Vlies, Director Clean Planet, R&I, European Commission

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Barcelona 15 November

08:00-11:00	Visit to ALBA Synchrotron Transport from Barcelona. Limited space, subject to availability upon registration
8:30	Departure from Barcelona
9:00-10:30	Visit of the Alba Synchrotron, Cerdanyola del Vallès, (Barcelona)
10:30-11:15	Return to Viladecans (possibility of a stopover in Barcelona)
11:30 - Onwards	Meeting rooms available (on request) in Viladecans to discuss alternative topics related to SET Plan

Please bear in mind that the visit of the Alba Synchrotron, Cerdanyola del Vallès, (Barcelona) will take place on the 15th November (9:00-10:30, Departure at 8:30) and would imply for you to book an additional accommodation night and flights/transport tickets accordingly. Places are limited and will be granted in strict order of registration.